

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
First Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
January - March 2002**

Juvenile Court **RHEA**
Court Number **72**

January - March 2002 141 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting 126 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
1	OR	0.68% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
2	OR	1.36% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
6	OR	4.08% Assault
0	OR	0.00% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
1	OR	0.68% Arson
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Burglary
10	OR	6.80% Theft of Property
0	OR	0.00% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
0	OR	0.00% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
1	OR	0.68%	Other Drug Offenses
13	OR	8.84%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	OR	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00%	Escape
0	OR	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
0	OR	0.00%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
2	OR	1.36%	Harassment
0	OR	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
8	OR	5.44%	Disorderly Conduct
1	OR	0.68%	Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00%	Gambling
3	OR	2.04%	Traffic
0	OR	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00%	Contempt of Court
8	OR	5.44%	Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
15	OR	10.20%	Unruly Behavior
41	OR	27.89%	Truancy
2	OR	1.36%	In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
3	OR	2.04%	Dependency/Neglect
2	OR	1.36%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
1	OR	0.68%	Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00%	Foster Care Review
18	OR	12.24%	Custody
3	OR	2.04%	Visitation
1	OR	0.68%	Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00%	Child Support
0	OR	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00%	Consent to Marry
5	OR	3.40%	Other

147	OR	100.00%	Total
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Of the 141 Cases, There Were

147 Referral Sources

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Referral Source

36	OR	24.5% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
30	OR	20.4% Were Referred By Parents
11	OR	7.5% Were Referred By Relatives
1	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Self
44	OR	29.9% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
3	OR	2.0% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
11	OR	7.5% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
11	OR	7.5% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
147	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 141 Cases, There Were 147 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

142	OR	96.6% Petition Filed
1	OR	0.7% Motion Filed
2	OR	1.4% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
1	OR	0.7% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
1	OR	0.7% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
147	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 141 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
18	OR	12.8% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
123	OR	87.2% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
141	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

16	OR	11.3% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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1	OR	0.7% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
1	OR	0.7% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
123	OR	87.2% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
141	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

126 Children

Age of Child At Referral

48	OR	38.1% Birth Through Age 10
15	OR	11.9% Ages 11 Through 12
26	OR	20.6% Ages 13 Through 14
23	OR	18.3% Ages 15 Through 16
14	OR	11.1% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
0	OR	0.0% Unknown/Not Reported
126	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

71	OR	56.3% Male
55	OR	43.7% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
126	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

116	OR	92.1% White
5	OR	4.0% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
0	OR	0.0% Mixed Race
5	OR	4.0% Unknown
126	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 126 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

8	OR	6.3% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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20	OR	15.9% Living With Both Biological Parents
4	OR	3.2% Living With Father And Stepmother
11	OR	8.7% Living With Mother And Stepfather

50	OR	39.7% Living With Mother
3	OR	2.4% Living With Father
25	OR	19.8% Living With Relatives
1	OR	0.8% Living With Adoptive Parents
0	OR	0.0% Living With Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Group Home
1	OR	0.8% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
1	OR	0.8% Living Independently
9	OR	7.1% Unknown
1	OR	0.8% Other
126	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

104	OR	82.5% Were Enrolled In School
22	OR	17.5% Were Not Enrolled In School
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
126	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

30	OR	23.8% Too Young For School
1	OR	0.8% Pre-School
5	OR	4.0% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
2	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 2
5	OR	4.0% Finished Grade 3
4	OR	3.2% Finished Grade 4
12	OR	9.5% Finished Grade 5
16	OR	12.7% Finished Grade 6
14	OR	11.1% Finished Grade 7
3	OR	2.4% Finished Grade 8
11	OR	8.7% Finished Grade 9
3	OR	2.4% Finished Grade 10
2	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 11
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
4	OR	3.2% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
14	OR	11.1% Unknown
126	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

14	OR	11.1% Were Enrolled In Special Education
97	OR	77.0% Not Enrolled In Special Education
15	OR	11.9% Unknown
126	OR	100.0% Total

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NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		251 Specific Case Outcomes
11	OR	4.38% Case Dismissed
0	OR	0.00% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
64	OR	25.50% Warned/Counseled
63	OR	25.10% Held Open For Review
8	OR	3.19% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
4	OR	1.59% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
1	OR	0.40% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
2	OR	0.80% Fine
3	OR	1.20% Public Service
2	OR	0.80% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
0	OR	0.00% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
1	OR	0.40% House Arrest
12	OR	4.78% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment/Custody
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
1	OR	0.40% Other Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
24	OR	9.56% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued

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9	OR	3.59% Custody Changed
8	OR	3.19% Custody Unchanged
4	OR	1.59% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
2	OR	0.80% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
32	OR	12.75% Other
251	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the	147	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
147	OR	100.0% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
147	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 141 Cases Disposed,
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 147 Referral Reasons Was:

12	OR	8.2% Dismissed
0	OR	0.0% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
19	OR	12.9% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
23	OR	15.6% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
2	OR	1.4% Informal Adjustment
1	OR	0.7% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
50	OR	34.0% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
34	OR	23.1% Case Held Open
6	OR	4.1% Other
147	OR	100.0% Total